

# THE LACLEDE BLADE.

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## TOWN AND COUNTRY

### About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

A six room house for rent. Inquire of Mrs. E. B. Skulley.

Barred Rock cockerels \$2.00 each. Mrs. Harry Landree, phone 91.

For sale at once, Ford touring car in good condition. Laclede Garage, phone 31.

Sam McDonnell was on the St. Joseph market with a car of cattle Tuesday.

Those having accounts at Laclede Garage are requested to please settle at once.

H. W. Lomax is having a basement made under his residence and will install a heating plant.

The picture show will start Thursday night promptly at 8 o'clock and on Saturday nights at 8:30.

Have several varieties of apples for sale. Will begin picking next week. L. Brendahl, Laclede, phone 310.

Judge Lockhart will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday morning, to which service all are cordially invited.

R. L. Wells who recently sold his residence property to J. W. Winegar, moved his family to Centerville, Iowa, Monday.

The wagon scale was removed from in front of the Peacher garage Tuesday greatly improving the street at that place.

The heating plant at the city hall has been overhauled and changes made that is believed will not only increase its heating capacity but reduce the consumption of fuel.

J. Paul Jones and H. L. Allen are in western Kansas this week looking at some ranches with a view of leasing a large tract of land and engaging extensively in the cattle business.

Next Wednesday night is the regular monthly meeting of the Modern Woodman camp and there should be as large attendance as possible that the usual business may be legally transacted.

Services at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Lampkin will have charge of the morning service and the Linneus gospel team in the evening. All are cordially invited.

The semi-annual sale of the Linn County Purebred Livestock Association will be held at Linneus next Thursday, October 10. Those interested should write to Rose Nichols, county agent, for catalog.

Manager Savage sent a car of cattle and hogs to the St. Joseph market for members of the shipping association Tuesday night. Wm. Marlow accompanied the shipment and will attend the stock show while in the city.

W. H. Glover was at Camp Funston last week and spent a day with his son, Arthur. He found Arthur well and just released from the detention camp where he had taken the several vaccinations given to all men on entering the army.

When you have backache the liver or kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Try Sanol, it does wonders for the liver, kidneys, and bladder. A trial will convince you. Get it at Rexall store.

## Royal Neighbor Meeting

At the regular meeting of the Royal Neighbor camp last Friday a lively and patriotic number were present. The regular business was disposed of and one minute of silent prayer given for the soldier boys.

The following report of the county convention held at Linneus was given: Brookfield camp was extended the grand honors when her recorder reported 175 members, several new members during the year, two regular monthly meetings, a regular monthly contribution to the Red Cross, the purchase of a \$100.00 Liberty Bond and the adoption of a French war orphan.

Laclede's report was 84 beneficial members, 9 social members, one regular monthly meeting, two all day social meetings when 250 bandages were made for the Red Cross, \$10.00 contributed to the Y. M. C. A. fund and a \$10.00 purchase of war saving stamps.

The recorder read a letter from the supreme oracle granting the right to meet in the homes during the winter for the conservation of fuel.

The camp unanimously voted to adopt a French war orphan as ten cents per day or \$36.50 per year will support a child and keep it with its mother. Six dollars were subscribed to the fund at this meeting and any member wishing to contribute who cannot attend the meetings may send their contribution to the recorder, Miss Ella Ong.

The camp motto for the year will be "Not our bit, but our best." The next regular meeting will be with the oracle, Mrs. Harry Landree, Saturday, October 26, at 2:30. No refreshments.

## Red Cross Convention

There was an attendance of nearly two hundred at the county convention of the Red Cross held at the Laclede opera house Wednesday afternoon. Twenty-two branches were represented as follows: Brookfield, Bruner, Browning, Bucklin, Cash, Elm Grove, Eversonville, Forker, Gainer, Haseville, Linneus, Laclede, Meadville, Marceline, Mt. Hope, New Boston, Pleasant View, Purdin, St. Catherine, Shafter, Shelby, Wyandotte.

After a short program of patriotic songs, music and prayer by Rev. Pearson, Miss Lucy Hinchcliff, field secretary, made a talk on county organization, how to organize and the system under which the work is to be conducted.

Brookfield was unanimously chosen as headquarters for the county chapter. County officers are to be elected at a future meeting.

At the close of the convention the delegates were served with ice cream by the Pershing Branch.

## Judge Spencer at Brookfield

There was a full house at the Grand theatre in Brookfield on Friday night to hear Judge Selden P. Spencer, republican nominee for United States senator. It was not a political speech but an able and eloquent presentation of the vital issues of the day—the winning of the war. In the United States senate, Judge Spencer would measure up with the biggest and brainiest and most eloquent men who have ever sat in that body.

## ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

### Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

As will be noticed by his advertisement in this paper today O. I. Fay will hold a public sale at his home one mile east of Forker next Wednesday, October 9. Mr. Fay has sold his farm and all stock, machinery and feed is to be disposed of as well as some household goods.

The L. C. N. club held its meeting at the home of Mrs. Z. R. Kling on September 19. An elegant dinner was served at noon to which all did ample justice. The afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation and music on the Columbia was greatly enjoyed. The regular meeting of the club will be held October 10 with Mrs. Zola Kling.

C. C. Bigger, as administrator of the estate of the late J. W. Anderson, has sold the shoe making tools, machinery and stock to T. D. Mitchell who took charge of that part of the business last Saturday. When a boy Mr. Mitchell learned the trade and with a little practice at repairing by machinery will be able to do first class work. The harness stock will remain in its present location until disposed of.

According to reports from a reliable source farmers in the great region of the middle west are purchasing more heavily of the Fourth Liberty Loan than was the case in preceding issues. The two main reasons for this are that farmers are now in a better financial position for participating, and, second, they know more about Liberty Bonds and their unequalled value as an investment proposition. Their patriotism, too, will naturally stimulate liberal subscribing.

A large number of bundles of clothing have been left at relief headquarters in the directors' room of the Lomax & Standly Bank. There is urgent need of clothing for the unfortunates in Belgium and Northern France. The necessity is for undergarments and warm clothing of all kinds for men, women and children and the sooner it is collected and started on its way the better. All articles donated should be clean. Mrs. C. E. Tracy and Mrs. Ella Standly have been appointed to have charge of this branch of the Red Cross work.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Carothers of Waco, Texas, are visiting Laclede relatives and old friends this week. Mr. Carothers spent his boyhood in Laclede along with John and James Pershing and is naturally a great admirer of his former playmate now commander-in-chief of the American forces in France, and says Texas considers General Pershing the hero of the great war. Mr. Carothers is head of the largest sash and door factory in Texas and has lately converted his factory to war work, taking a large contract of getting out gunstocks and controls all available walnut logs of his state. Their many old friends here were glad to see them.

## Airplane Over Laclede

Laclede got its first glimpse of an airplane in action when one of the big war machines circled over town dropping paper bombs boosting the liberty bonds, Wednesday afternoon. It was flying at a high altitude but the rapid exhaust of the motor could be heard and many got a good view of it. The machine came from the south, circled over town and went west.

Some of the bombs were found by Ethel Garside, Fern Thurman and Bernice Chinn that evening in the wood near the Garside home.

Here is a part of the message: "This little message from the sky has chosen you as its goal. Buy a bond today; keep the bun on the run with dollar and gun. Join the great, irresistible, world-wide movement that is marching on to victory and world freedom."

## Entertained Classmates

Miss Naomi Burnett very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends at her beautiful country home Friday evening. The house was artistically decorated with purple and gold, class colors.

The evening was spent in social games and music. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hogsett and Miss Ruth Burnett, and later Mr. Hogsett appeared in a costume of purple and gold treating each guest to "home made taffy."

Guests present were: Misses Louise Carothers, Frieda Savage, Allene Byrd, Lula Hanson, Roberta Havens, Lila Havens, Lucile Havens.

Messrs. Rolla Wade, Russell, Welsh, Ray Lamme, Richard Stratton, Harold Linn, Calvin Kling, Zina Anderson.

## Death of Thomas Wade

Thomas Wade, pioneer citizen, good neighbor, industrious and influential farmer, passed away at his home north of Laclede last Tuesday morning. He was born in Morgan county, Alabama, May 7, 1841, and resided on the farm where he died for more than a third of a century. He was looked upon as one of the best and most prosperous farmers of the community.

The widow and two sons, and a number of other relatives survives.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon and the remains laid to rest in the Laclede cemetery. The bereaved family have the sympathy of their many friends.

## Cut Prices on Stoves

Special sale on paints, ranges, heating stoves and all kinds of heavy hardware. Prices cut to the bottom. Mendenhall & Patrick, Brookfield.

## Household Furniture at Auction

As we are removing to Oklahoma will sell our furniture and household goods at auction in the park next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, October 5. In the sale will be two dressers, 6 dining chairs, cupboard, Darling range, Singer sewing machine and a large number of other articles. These good must be sold as we are leaving next week.

MRS. C. J. GRIFFITH.  
WM. TURNER, Auctioneer.

## Keys Lost

Four small keys on a ring has been lost on south Brookfield road. Finder please notify this office, or Mendenhall & Patrick store, Brookfield.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

### Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

R. T. Patterson and family motored to Brunswick, Saturday and spent the day with friends.

Mrs. Kate Leavy left Wednesday to spend some time looking after her property at Los Angeles, Cal.

Fred Edwards of Kewanee, Ill., is here spending a few weeks with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards.

M. A. Peer of Des Moines, Iowa, spent the latter part of last week here visiting his brother, J. H. Peer and family.

Mrs. Max Jones and little son have gone to Hannibal to spend the winter, Mr. Jones being able to get home more often there than at Laclede.

Mr and Mrs. Geo. Hanson and children of Brooklyn, Iowa, spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson on route two. They drove through in their Overland car.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. J. Ricker and daughter left in their car Tuesday morning to return to their home at Foster, Iowa, after spending a week here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Jas. Parker and Mr. Parker and his brother, Frank Ricker, and wife in Brookfield.

A. A. Ong, of Burlington, passenger engineer on the K. C., and his wife who lives on their ranche in Wyoming, visited over Sunday here, guests of Mrs. J. L. Ong and other relatives. Mr. Ong has taken a layoff and will accompany Mrs. Ong back to their farm for a short stay.

It does the work, use Sanol Eczema Remedy to get rid of those black head, pimples, or rough bumpy skin. Leaves skin smooth. Cures any case of Eczema. Is pleasant to use. A trial will convince you. 50c and 1.00 at Rexall store.

Any man who is inactive is a friend of Kaiser Bill. It is your duty to not only keep busy but to see that everyone else keeps busy. But keeping busy isn't enough. Keep happy and contented by seeing the pictures Thursday and Saturday nights. Uncle Sam says go get pep in your blood and see how much better you feel. Opera house Thursday and Saturday nights.

## Work For War Orphans

Please notice the sample work in the Rest Room window done by young ladies of this community for French orphans at Grenoble, France. Every one who can is earnestly solicited to donate one and a half to two and a half yards of new goods, if on hand, or money for same materials, flanellette, black sateen, gingham, etc. Avoid red or green. Quilt blocks eight inches square or materials in cotton, flanellette, or wool. Report to Lillian Sensintaffar, Ellen Garside, Gretna Spokesfield or Mrs. T. E. Sisson, or leave articles at Park cafe.

## Marine Band to Brookfield

The Great Lakes Marine Band will give a concert in the park at Brookfield next Tuesday from 8 to 11:40 a. m. A speaker from St. Louis will talk on the fourth liberty loan and the whole country is invited to Brookfield on that occasion.